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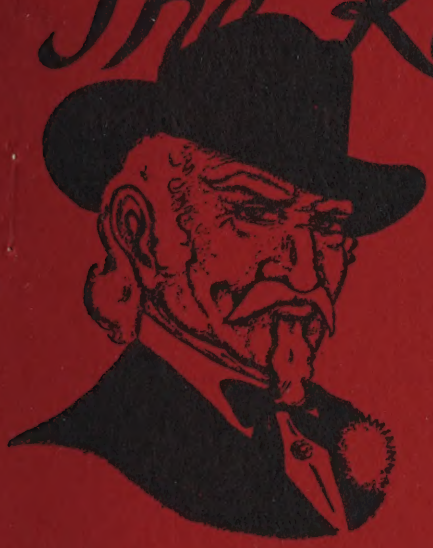

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NEWS NOTES

Friday, April 4, Valerie Evans, Virginia Madden, and Raymand Martin along with the Barbershop group, Eddie Jones, David Jackson, Raymond Martin, Mike Wolfe, and Randell Haycraft went to the state music festival held at the University of Louisville's Shelby campus. For their vocal performances we congratulate Raymond Martin for a superior rating and Valerie Evans and Virginia

Madden for excellent ratings; also, the barbershop group a superior rating. We hope we will have entries from our school each year for this is a very worthwhile experience.

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Recently a number of Junior and Senior high students saw the movie 1776 shown at the Penthouse Theater on the Fourth Street Mall. This was the start at our school of the celebration of our country's 200th anniversary.

The movie clearly showed what went into the writing and signing of the c Constitution.

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Work is now underway in gathering material for the publication of our new yearbook and because of production requirments, we must let our publisher know the total quantity of yearbooks our school will order. We need this information as soon as possible. All you have to do is fill in the information below and return to the

yearbook committee, along with the proper remittance. Your order will then be reserved immediately and the completed books ready for you on distribution day.

If you have any questions please call the school office and talk to the yearbook committee. We know you will be delighted in having this memory book and we hope to reserve your order soon.

Please reserve_____copy(ies) for the School Yearbook for us at only $4.00 each. Here is our remittance in the amount of $_____.
Student's name_____Grade_____
Room Number_____ Teacher's Name_____
Parent or Guardian_____

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PRIMARY STORIES ABOUT FOOD

BISCUITS

We made biscuits and gravy. They tasted good.

BREAD

We made bread one Friday. Bread is made

from wheat flour. We would like to be bakers who make all kinds of bread.

CORN

Corn is a grain. We like to eat corn. Corn can help you get big. Cornbread tastes good. We like it. Mama makes it, too.

CEREAL

Cereal tastes good with sugar and milk and bananas. Cereal is made from grains.

CAKE

Cake tastes good. Cake tastes sweet. Put icing on it. We like a party with cake. Cake is good with ice cream.

ICE CREAM

One day we made ice cream. It tastes good. We like ice cream.

APPLES

We love apples. Do you? Apples are good. We cooked them one day.

HOME EC. NEWS

For the past semester the girls in the home ec. classes have been sewing. Most of them made "smock tops" which were very cute. Most of the tops were finished in time for them to be worn home for spring vacation. Valerie Evans and Theresa Ridner are making dresses to wear to the Sports Banquet May 20. Karen Pickard is making a formal to wear to the Junior-Senior prom on Friday, May 30.

The following are excerpts taken from the ABK News Flash.

ID CARDS NOW AVAILABLE

The non-driver's identification card is now available at a cost of $2.00 throughout Ky. These plastic cards contain a picture of the holder, together with pertinent biographical information. ID cards are available to anyone who cannot or does not drive a car; they will provide a means of identification for the cashing of checks and other

business transactions.

To apply for your ID card, take your birth certificate to the nearest Circuit Court Clerk or Motor Licensing Bureau office; you need not supply a photograph, as these are taken at the time of application.

A generous thank-you from the blind of Ky. is extended to Mary Lou Lacefield, member of the ABK Public Service Committee, and John Taylor, ABK Attorney-at-law, for their efforts in making the ID cards a reality in this state.

ONE STEP CLOSER

On March 3, the ABK Legislative and Emloyment Committees met with members of the Louisville Board of Aldermen. One issue which was much discussed was the construction of a sidewalk along the south side of Brownsboro Rd. from State to Ewing Aves. The walk had been promised to the community for some time, but funds had not been set aside for that purpose.

On March 7, the Courier Journal reported that $15,000 dollars had been approved by the Board of Aldermen for the construction of the sidewalk in question, to run from Haldeman to Ewing Aves. Although this is one block shorter than requested, it is felt that this represents a step forward for the blind of Kentucky and for ABK.

BRAILLE PATTERNS AVAILABLE

Fingertip Patterns are available to help the blind seamstress construct a garment without sighted help. The patterns are made from heavy paper; embossed lines and darts allow marking of the garment without sighted help. Braille or large print instructions are included with each pattern to guide the inexperienced sewer.

Fingertip Patterns were developed by Verna L. Dotson, and are distributed by ABK throughout the nation as a service for the blind. Patterns cost $1.00 to $1.75; charges cover cost of materials only. For a free large print brochure of

available patterns, write Fingertip Patterns, 155 N. Bellaire Ave., Louisville. Ky.40206

PTA NEWS

The big day is coming--May 10. We are looking forward to a successful spring festival. Many parents and teachers have been working hard to get items ready to sell and games ready to play. Many students are selling admission tickets. Grand prizes are a color TV and air conditioner. Come on Saturday and have a good time!

SOUTHWEST JEFFERSON COUNTY CONVENTION FESTIVAL ARTS AND CRAFTS EXHIBITION

Mr. Gordon Keith, the husband of our school nurse, Mrs. Mary Opal Keith, has entered an arts and crafts exhibition to celebrate the opening of the Government Center in Pleasure Ridge Park, Pleasure Ridge, Kentucky. It will be held on Saturday, April 26 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Sunday,,April 27 from 9:00

a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Mr. Keith has entered a water color picture that depicts the up-coming bicentennial of America.

Mr. Keith works at the Courier Journal and Louisville Times in the Roto Standard Gravure Company.

HOMECOMING '75

The social festivities of our 1975 Homecoming weekend got underway with a small get-together for swimmers and their coaches in the Home Economics room Friday night. Mrs. Degener's Home-Ec classes did all the preparing of refreshments. The evening seemed to be an enjoyable one.

Saturday night, the weekend was capped off by our annual Homecoming Dance. Music was provided by our school Combo. They did an excellent job throughout the entire evening.

Miss Karen Deaton, senior representative, was crowned 1975 Homecoming Queen. Her court included junior; Shirley Cain; sophomore; Mary Barnes; freshman;

JoAnn Stewart and junior high representative, Debra Broyles. They were announced first through fourth runners-up respectively. Senior, Wanda Ward, the 1974 Homecoming Queen did the honors of presenting awards to the new queen and her court.

The entire weekend was both pleasent and exciting.

SPORTS CAR RALLY

The annual Sports Car Rally was held on April 27; it was a beautiful sunny day for a ride. Special congratulations to Gail Chandler in the braille class and Mike Ward in the large print class for first places. We would like to thank the sponsors for this rally.

SPORTS

The 2nd invitational Swimming tournament was held here at KSB April 4, 5, and 6. Teams from Tennessee, Alabama, and Minnesota participated. The final scores were as follows:

Girls team scores

first	Kentucky	119 points
second	Tennessee	105 points
third	Alabama	48 points
fourth	Minnesota	6 points

Boys team scores

first	Tennessee	129 points
second	Alabama	61 points
third	Minnesota	58 points
fourth	Kentucky	47 points

Boys and girls combined team scores

first	Tennessee	234 points
second	Kentucky	165 points
third	Alabama	109 points
fourth	Minnesota	64 points

ANSWERS TO FEBRUARY SCRAMBLE

- fear
- year
- rare
- burry

5. bear
6. fry
7. bray
8. ear
9. bare
10. bur
11. buy
12. fur
13. rye
14. berry
15. far

We regret, that do to an over-sight, answers failed to appear in the April issue of the Kentucky Colonel.